GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
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Public Services - Revenue Department - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri K.Ramamohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M) (Retd) and another for committing certain irregularities in mutating the lands - AoCs issued - WSDs submitted - Inquiry Officer appointed - Inquiry report submitted - Inquiry Report communicated - Explanations received - Show cause notice issued - Further explanation received - Concurrence of Commission obtained - Penalty of 25% cut in monthly pension for a period of 10 years - Imposed - Orders -Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1058 **Dated:12.12.2022**

Read the followings:-

1. From the CCLA, A.P., Vijayawada, Lr.No.VS.II(1)/1039/2018, Dated.30/01/2019.
2. G.O.Ms.Nos.177, Rev (Vig.III) Department, dt:17.06.2020.
3. G.O.Ms.No.179, Rev (Vig.III) Department, dt:17.06.2020.
4. G.O.Rt.No.533, Rev (Vig.III) Department, dt:17.06.2020.
5. Written Statement of Defence of Sri K.Rammohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M) (Retd),dt:21.08.2020.
6. G.O.Rt.No.347, Rev (Vig.III)Department, dt:21.06.2021.
7. From the Joint Collector (RB&R)/Inquiry Officer, Srikakulam, Rc.No.1866/2018.A2, dt16.03.2022.
8. Govt.Memo.No.REV01-LANA0CCLV(DISC)/11/2020-VIG-III, dt:19.05.2022.
9. Explanation of Sri K.Rammohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M) (Retd), dt:Nil.
10. Govt.Memo.No.REV01-LANA0CCLV(DISC)/11/2020-VIG-III-1&2, dt:24.08.2022.
11. Explanation of Sri K.Rammohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M) (Retd), dt:Nil.
12. Govt.Lr.No.REV01-LANA0CCLV(DISC)/11/2020, dt:20.10.2022.
13. From the APPSC, Lr.No.GAD03-APPS0DCC/106/2022, dt:26.11.2022.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, the CCLA, AP, while submitting the draft article of charges and connected documents, has requested the Govt., to initiate departmental proceedings against (1) Sri K.Ramamohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M), retired from service on 31.07.2018 (2) Sri M.Vasudeva Rao, the then V.R.O, Ponnada Cluster, retired from service on 30.06.2018, under rule.9 of APRP Rules, 1980 r/w rule.24 of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991, for committing certain irregularities in mutating the lands in respect of Sy.Nos.514/14,15,16, 12 & 519/7 of Ponnada Village, Etcherla Mandal of Srikakulam District.

2. Government have initiated common disciplinary proceedings against Sri K.Ramamohan, Tahsildar (Retd) and Sri M.Vasudeva Rao, V.R.O (Retd), in the reference 3rd read above. Subsequently, article of charges have been issued against Sri K.Ramamohan Rao, Tahsildar (Retd), vide reference 4th read above. In reply the Charged Officer has submitted WSD denying the charges framed against him.

3. After examining the WSD submitted by the Charged Officer, Government have appointed the JC (RB&R), Srikakulam as Inquiry Officer,vide reference 6th read above and accordingly, he has submitted enquiry report stating that the charges framed against the COs are held proved.

4. Government have accepted the findings of the enquiry officer and communicated it to the Charged Officer, vide reference 8th read above. In reply, the Charged Officer has submitted further explanation and requested to drop further action against him.

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5. After careful examination of the explanation of the charged officer, Government have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of "25% cut in monthly pension for a period of 10 years" against Sri K.Rammohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M) (Retd) and Accordingly, a show cause notice was issued to him, vide reference 10th read above. In reply, the charged officer has submitted further explanations and requested to drop the proposed penalty imposed upon him.

6. After examination of the matter, Government have decided to impose a penalty of "25% cut in monthly pension for a period of 10 years" against Sri K.Rammohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M) (Retd). Accordingly, in the reference 12th read above, the APPSC was requested to furnish concurrence of the above proposal of the Govt. In the reference 13th read above, the APPSC has agreed the proposal of the Govt. to impose the above penalty.

7. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby impose a penalty of "25% cut in monthly pension for a period of 10 years against K.Rammohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M), Srikakulam District (Retd)., under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

8. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. SAI PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
Sri K.Rammohan Rao, former Tahsildar, Etcherla (M), Srikakulam District (Retd) ***through*** the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
Copy to:
The Collector & District Magistrate, Srikakulam.
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SECTION OFFICER